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Centre Harbor News.

Mrs. Bennett of Melvin Village has been visiting her son, A. A. Bennett, a few days.

Carl Paine, Miss Maud Weeks and others are ill with the grip.

A dance will be held at Independence Hall Tuesday evening, January 31. Chase's orchestra will furnish the music. Floor tickets, 50 cents.

Mrs. [illegible] is visiting friends in Meredith.

Great [illegible]e wood business last week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Lunt have returned from a short visit to Gorham.

John Blackey is convalescing slowly.

Ice harvesting has nearly ended. A large stock has been gathered.

The Grange officers were installed last Wednesday evening, as follows:

Master, Mrs. Alice Sargent.
Overseer, Mrs. Mabel Simpson.
Lecturer, Mrs. Josephine George.
Chaplain, Rev. Mr. Thorpe.
Treasurer, D. W. Coe.
Secretary, Hattie Moulton.
Steward, Henry Bryant.
Gatekeeper, Chas. E. Dow.
Assistant Steward, Mary Wallace.
Lady Assistant Steward, Annie Glidden.
Ceres, Mrs. Thorpe.
Flora, Ada Morrill.
Pomona, Lida Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Smith were the installing officers and the work was done in a very able and pleasing manner.

WINONA.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hawkes are spending a few weeks in Lynn, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith spent Sunday in Woodsville with A. R. Kendall's family.

Miss Phebe Whitcher has been in Laconia for a few days.

The sociable last week was a success in every way.

Next Monday evening a social will be held at the residence of Mrs. Roy Sinclair.

A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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F. M. Smith, Center Sandwich.

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CENTER HARBOR NECK

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Smith were at Point Peace Saturday.

Miss Claudine Gibson spent a short vacation at home this week.

Mr. Anthon's ponies became frightened in the woods by the breaking of the sled, and ran the mile to Albert Hutchins in quick time, but were stopped by Fred Cram without injuring the horses at all.

A new telephone has been installed at Badger Garland's.

Mrs. Leon Manville was at home Sunday, but has returned to Sandwich to care for her mother.

Mrs. A. E. Hutchins and Mrs. George Hardie were in Meredith Tuesday.

WANTED

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SCISSORS AND PENCIL

It is stated that President Roosevelt is opposed to any legislation that will reduce the representation of the Southern States in Congress. And no doubt our own beloved "Cy" Sulloway, the "biggest" man in the House, is opposed to any reduction in the size of the representatives of the Northern States.

The postal deficit for the year which closed June 30, 1904, was about $12,000,000, and it is estimated that for the present year it will be about $16,000,000. This deficit is directly traceable to the rural free delivery service. This service comes high, but we could hardly do without it now.

Here's a hint for our lawmakers at Concord: A bill was introduced in the New York Senate last Wednesday providing for the imprisonment of automobilists who violate speed regulations for the second time.

Albany, N.Y., is undergoing a great religious revival, and hopes are expressed in the Empire State that it may make better men of some members of the Legislature. It would take a mighty good lot of religion to go around New Hampshire's four hundred lawmakers, but if there is any left after it hits the New Yorkers it might be passed along to Concord.

The Boston Herald sounds a note of warning against too much fresh air treatment of a common cold. It says that "breaking up a determined cold delays the inevitable, and then, when all's done, ten to one it starts off into bronchitis or pneumonia, while staying indoors with it [illegible] disarms its fury at each new stage. The fresh-air cure is capital for every malady save this familiar cold."

A PROTEST.

The Fish and Game Commissioners desire a law passed requiring a license fee of ten dollars from non-residents to hunt in this state. Their action has caused a vigorous kick and a resident of Somerville, Mass., voices his sentiments rather strongly. The following are a few extracts from his letter:

Now, as a native and former resident of the old Granite State, I wish to enter a protest against such legislation, and in so doing think I voice sentiment of many of her wandering sons.

It has been my custom and pleasure to return to my native town for a few weeks each year, wandering over the old haunts, not so much for the game, (which by the way seldom fall before my gun), but for the old associations which it brings to mind. If required to pay a tax to carry a gun, am afraid many of New Hampshire's sons would lose much of that sentiment that each year turns their footsteps to her rugged hills.

There seems to be a disposition among a certain class of people to kill the goose that lays the golden egg for as added years and old memories cause us to return to the scenes of our childhood, as a welcome respite from the hurry of city life, we are confronted with such restrictions as "No Trespassing," "You can't carry a gun unless you buy a license," etc. Soon I expect it will be necessary for non-residents to get a license before they will be allowed to breathe God's pure air in New Hampshire.

I am in favor of good and proper fish and game laws, but the people of New Hampshire should remember that of the 20,000 or more visitors who make their yearly pilgrimage to that state, a large percentage are people who labor and need the rest and change, and while willing to pay a fair price for what they get, dislike to return to their homes with an empty pocketbook, or be debared from taking their annual vacation at their favorite place on account of the additional expense incurred by useless laws.

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Maude Cook [illegible]
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Fred Osgood [illegible]
Melvin Wednes[illegible]
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Nellie Hanson [illegible] pneumonia.
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Nathan Green[illegible] Friday at Sand[illegible]
Nora Davis is [illegible] Ernest, at East [illegible]
Mr. Eaton is [illegible]

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Ezra Burban[illegible]
Florence Lad[illegible]
Alice and Ma[illegible] Hawkins are v[illegible]
Mrs. N. B. Cox[illegible]

CARD O[illegible]

I wish to exp[illegible] many friends [illegible] me when I need[illegible] their kindness [illegible] much pleased [illegible] friends and t[illegible] and willing t[illegible] and friendship[illegible] friend in need is [illegible]
D. E. Par[illegible]

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[illegible]ERNESS

[illegible]stman has been en[illegible]d from Lakeport.

[illegible]s doing quite a lot [illegible]

[illegible]is in poor health. [illegible]is gaining slowly.

[illegible]de Pulsifer and Julia [illegible]iting at their aunt's, [illegible] this week.

[illegible]F THANKS

[illegible]ess my thanks to my [illegible]r their kindness to [illegible]d help. I appreciate [illegible]ry much and was [illegible] find I had so many [illegible] they were so ready [illegible]ow their kindness [illegible]when needed. "A [illegible] friend indeed."
[illegible]tt, Moultonboro.

MOULTONBORO FALLS.

Edward Parrott is cutting wood for Henry Tilton.

Mr. Claridge and son George have returned from Tuftonboro, where they have been for a month at John Edgerly's.

Mrs. Wm. Chase has been quite ill for a week with stomach trouble.

Mrs. Mattie Mason and little grandson, Harold Ames, went to Boston last week to visit relatives.

Miss Ethel Smith is staying with her sister, Mrs. Harry Richardson, at present.

The Ladies' Aid held a social at Albert Haines' last week Tuesday. The evening being perfect, a goodly number, forty-three, were present.

Alonzo Bragg is fitting up wood for Mrs. C. L. Meloon.

Last Thursday there was a chopping bee for the benefit of the church on the church lot. The men went with their axes and teams and a nice pile of wood at the church is the result. The ladies furnished dinner in the vestry.

SELECTMEN'S NOTICE.

We shall be in session Thursday, Friday and Saturday, February 9, 10 and 11, from 9 a.m. till 12 m., and from 2 till 4 p.m., for the purpose of terminating all town business for the financial year ending February 15, 1905.

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AMERICAN GIRLS.

BY THOMAS COBB.

"Do you think that American girls are really nice?" asked Sibella.

"The question seems rather general," I suggested.

"You understand perfectly well what I mean!" she cried, somewhat petulantly.

"Perfectly," I admitted.

"I wish," said Sibella, "you would try not to be horrid."

"Maitland," I remarked, "has been away four months."

Sibella stared at the window and sighed deeply.

"Four months and five days," she murmured.

"Now," I retorted, "you are too particular."

"Sometimes," said Sibella, "I think one is not quite particular enough."

"Then you are beginning to repent?"

"How can I repent if I have not done anything wrong?" she demanded.

"Anyhow," I suggested, "one can make up one's mind never to do it again."

"Ah!" said Sibella, with another sigh, "one may not get the chance—"

"To make up one's mind?"

"To do it again," she answered.

"Still," I reminded her, "you drove Maitland away."

"He simply went to America for a change—"

"The week after you broke off your engagement!"

"It—it really wasn't my fault," said Sibella.

"Did you know that he had returned?" asked Sibella.

"I heard it at the club," I admitted.

"You haven't answered my question!" cried Sibella.

"Let me see—"

"Do you think that American girls are really nice?" she persisted.

"Anyhow," I answered, "the fellow has got safely away."

"I met Eustace at Mrs. Beresford's the day before yesterday," she faltered.

"No doubt you talked over old times?"

"Why, naturally."

"And you—you felt pleased to see him?"

"I think Eustace seemed nicer than ever!" she exclaimed.

"Then I suppose I must offer my congratulations the first time I see him?"

"Are you going to Lady Ashmore's to-morrow night?"

"Are you?" I asked.

"Why should I stay away?" she demanded, rather excitedly.

"Then certainly I shall go!"

"Because Eustace will be there?" said Sibella.

"I am to congratulate him?" I asked.

"He would think it rather odd if you were not there!" she cried.

"Now you're talking rather old story."

"How old?" asked Sibella, and she leaned back languidly on the sofa.

"Put it down at a decade."

"But then—then I could only have been about 11," she murmured.

"You see," I urged, "it's something like life itself. Nobody knows when it actually begins—"

"Or where it ends," said Sibella.

"It will never end," I answered.

"Of course," cried Sibella, abruptly, "they are often immense-y rich!"

"Those who cherish an ideal, you mean?"

"I thought you had grasped the fact that I was talking about American girls," said Sibella, reproachfully. "I suppose," she continued, "their money is an attraction to some men."

"Fortunate that Maitland wasn't attracted by it," I suggested, and I fancied she looked at me rather reproachfully.

"You don't think Eustace is that kind of man?" she said.

"The proof of the pudding is in the eating."

"I shall see you at Lady Ashmore's to-morrow!" she exclaimed as she rose from her seat on the sofa.

"I intend to try to do my duty," I retorted.

"You shall have two waltzes as a reward," said Sibella, graciously.

"It is immensely tantalizing—"

"Tantalizing?"

"So near and yet so far," I answered. "But still," I added, "I hope you will have a good time."

"Why shouldn't I?" she demanded.

"I shall try to congratulate you both—"

"I don't understand you," said Sibella.

"I said I should try to congratulate you both."

"Both?" she murmured.

"Of course—you and Maitland."

"It is scarcely a thing to joke about!" she exclaimed, with her face aflame.

"I assure you," I insisted, "I never felt less like joking in my life."

"Then why do you suggest that I should be congratulated?" demanded Sibella in a rather low voice.

"Upon your engagement—"

"That," Sibella faltered, "was ended months ago."

"But you told me it had been renewed."

"Indeed," she said, with a sigh, "I—I told you nothing of the kind."

"Upon my word," I insisted, "you certainly said I must congratulate Maitland—"

"Why, of course!"

"—when I meet him at Lady Ashmore's to-morrow night."

"Don't you understand?" cried Sibella, impulsively. "He is going to marry some American girl," and she laughed a little strangely.

"Sibella," I said.

"Well?" answered Sibella.

"Upon my word, I am sorry if—"

"How very absurd you are this afternoon!" she exclaimed, but she turned away her head as I took her hand.

SWEARS HIS WIFE RENED HIS HOME

FORMER [illegible] DIVO[illegible] IN OKLAHOMA.

SENTEN[illegible] D HIM TO HELL.

Says Spouse Asbesto[illegible] His

Told Him to Put on His Clothes—Drove Away Clients and Ruined Practice.

Guthrie, [illegible]a.—In his petition for a divorce fro[illegible] his wife, Dr. D. Rose, until recently of [illegible] Chicago, makes the sworn statement th[illegible] t in 1901, at one o'clock in the morning [illegible] his wife rushed to his room in his Chica[illegible] home, rapped on the door, and in an a[illegible]ry way cried out to him: "You are w[illegible]ted in hell—put on your asbestos suit." The divorce petition was filed in the [illegible]istrict court at Oklahoma City, naming [illegible] his wife, Alice Rose, as defendant. [illegible]r. Rose relates that they were married [illegible] n Norfolk county, Canada, May 6, 1879, and that their one child, Edith, born [illegible] 1883, is now married.

Dr. Rose, [illegible] his petition, says that in 1892 his wife made the statement: "I will ruin your business in Chicago; I will spend every dollar you can earn and make life a hell for you." He also says she has put into effect the threat since then. He charges that ever since marriage he has been a practicing physician; that he practiced his profession in Norfolk county until 1882, when he moved to Chicago and engaged in practice. He alleges that Mrs. Rose objected, and made thereafter threats. He avers that she strove to prevent him from successfully practicing in Chicago, and frequently told him she would be glad when he was dead and she hoped the doctors would run him out of the city.

In his petition Dr. Rose makes the following additional allegations against his wife: "That when Edith, their daughter, reached the age of understanding, Mrs. Rose told her Rose was beneath his wife and her family; that all her aunts, except one, on her father's side were servants. That Mrs. Rose told Edith her father associated with improper persons and low women, and once said: 'I tell you, Edith, there is not a respectable man in Lawndale, including your father.'

"That in 1[illegible] his wife read aloud to her daughter [illegible] account of a doctor who

SHE FREQUENTLY STRUCK HIM.

attempted to commit suicide because he had been charged with a criminal offense in connection with his practice, and had become a wreck from intoxicating drinks, and upon finishing the reading said to her daughter: 'This is what your father is coming to.'

"That Mrs. Rose several times, and especially after they had moved to Chicago, made public statements to other parties that the plaintiff was guilty of misconduct with other women, and upon one occasion named some women with whom she said he had been too friendly."

Dr. Rose declines his wife condemned Chicago and everything American and praised Canada until it became the talk of the neighborhood for six or seven years—this for the purpose of injuring her husband's business. He says she would not permit him to read after she had retired; that at various and numerous times she threatened to shoot him, and at one time he had to take the revolver and lock it up to prevent her, as he believed, from shooting him, she in her rage and anger declaring: "I will put a bullet through you on the spot;" that she frequently struck and assaulted him in an angry and vicious manner, and at one time, in 1900, rushed into his office, "vehemently and viciously attacked him in the presence of a patient," scratching his face and tearing his coat and vest, and that finally, in 1900, it became necessary for him to change his sleeping quarters.

Dr. Rose closes his petition by stating that he has always conducted himself properly toward his wife.

The case will come up at the next term of court before Judge B. F. Burwell. Under the Oklahoma law a person must be a bona fide resident of the territory a year to secure a divorce.

Paid Twenty Fines.

Vincennes, Ind.—Samuel Orndorff, of Oaktown, startled the Knox circuit court by walking before Judge Cobb during the progress of an assault case and asking to be allowed to settle with the court for 20 grand jury indictments against him for "boot-legging." Orndorff was told that the fines and costs aggregated $570. He thereupon took a pile of gold coin from his pocket, paid the fine and leisurely left the courtroom under the astonished gaze of the judge and spectators.

TWO YOUNG PEERS WOO CHORUS GIRLS

Lord Brackley and Lord Gerard Infatuated with Their Beauty and Would Wed Them.

London.—Since the great success of the marquis of Headfort's marriage to Rosie Boote, of the Gaiety chorus, the gilded youth of English society are crazier than ever about the Gaiety girls. Quite recently young Harcourt Powell, son of a society leader who entertains lavishly, nearly broke his mother's heart by presenting her with a daughter-in-law from the Gaiety stage, and at the present moment there is the wildest curiosity to see whether two young peers will persist in their stated resolve to follow his example.

One is Lord Brackley, eldest son of the earl of Ellesmere, a multi-millionaire, whose town place, Bridgewater house,

WILL MARRY A GAIETY GIRL.

is one of London's finest palaces, containing a fabulously valuable collection of paintings. Lord Brackley wants to marry charming Marie Studholme, and as a result of the strongest possible influence has only undertaken to not take any definite step for six months.

The earl of Ellesmere has had many family troubles of late years; one daughter died from the shock of a tragedy in the servants' hall, in which a footman shot a housemaid and committed suicide, while a son recently died suddenly.

Then young Lord Gerard, a Catholic peer with $300,000 a year, vows he will wed another Gaiety chorus girl. His mother is a grande dame, and the king was staying with them at Eastwell Park only a few weeks since. Her sister was the countess of Durham, heroine of a cause celebre 12 years ago, when the earl of Durham sought fruitlessly to divorce her on the ground that she was insane.

Lords Brackley and Gerard are almost nightly attendants at the Gaiety, and their families are pretty well distracted over their infatuations.

The Symptoms.

First Village Loafer—Hear about Hi Hoskinby gettin' a letter day afore yesterday?

Second Village Loafer (in surprise)—No. What was it?

First Village Loafer—Nobody knows; but he's actin' so darn close-mouthed over it, I guess he's gittin' ready tew be bunkered.—Brooklyn Life

Achievements Summarized.

"It's funny," said an officer on the Baltic fleet, "that we don't receive any Marconigrams of congratulation from St. Petersburg."

"Congratulations? What for?"

"Why, we not only gave a fishing boat considerable the worst of it, but we went clear through the war without losing a ship."—Washington Star.

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ADVENT CHURCH.

The appointments for the Advent church at Ladd's hall for the Sundays in each month are as follows: Rev. J. H. Evans 1st Sunday, Rev. G. D. Osgood 2nd, Rev. G. E Brown 3rd, Rev. S. C. Leaser 4th, Rev. H. E. Little 5th.

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WHISKY KILLS LITTLE FIVE-YEAR-OLD YOUTH.

Mother Hopes to Create Distaste for Liquor by Gorging Boy and Death Follows.

Louisville, Ky.—Because she plied the child with whisky and wine that she might sicken him and create a distaste for the liquor, Mrs. Eliza Thurston's five-year-old son is dead. Coroner Harris Kelly said his death was due to acute alcoholism.

Thurston came into possession of a jug of wine and a quart of whisky, and he and his wife indulged in a celebration. When her guests left she [illegible] with the liquor.

Some time later the boy was found unconscious. A doctor was called in, but the poison had taken too deep a hold on the little victim's system to be shaken off, and death finally ensued from convulsions.

The mother told Coroner Kelly that in giving the child liquor she thought to dose him sufficiently to make him have a distaste for it.

After a full investigation the coroner is satisfied there was no criminal intent and that at the worst it is a case of ignorance in parents, so he will not order a prosecution.

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Changes Radish Into Potato.

Paris.—M. Molliard, a well-known French botanist, has discovered the way to turn radishes into potatoes. He takes a young radish, "Pasteurizes" it, plants it again, and it grows up a potato. The process by which this transformation is accomplished is, briefly, as follows:

The young radish is cultivated in a glass retort in a solution of glucose, invented by Pasteur. Under this treatment it loses its pepperiness, the starch cells are developed and the result is a vegetable which has not only the taste of the potato, but all of its nutritive qualities.

Interpreter Gets $70,000.

San Francisco.—Barney Blum, interpreter and masseur at the Palace hotel, has fallen heir to $70,000 and departs for Austria to obtain his fortune. Blum's father recently died and left a valuable estate to be divided among his three or four sons and daughters and several other relatives.

Cat Adopts Puppies.

Milwaukee.—A cat nursing two spaniel puppies is the unusual spectacle presented at the home of Killian Beckerle. The cat recently suffered the loss of her kittens, and she was given the puppies, for which she cares as though they were her own offspring.

A Freak Turtle.

One of the strangest freaks discovered of late was a turtle with an oyster growing on its back. The turtle was taken by a gill netter in the Choptank river.

Particulars Wanted.

"Do you keep typewriter ribbons?" asked the man in the department store.

"Yes," said the salesady; "is she a blonde or brunette?"—Yonkers Statesman.

Special Inducement.

Miss Beasley—Dey say dat Jane Green am aftah Sam's heart.

Miss White—Yeas, she cun heard dat he is chicken hearted.—Chicago News.

For a Different Reason.

"Young Tiffany says he can't live on $18,000 a year.

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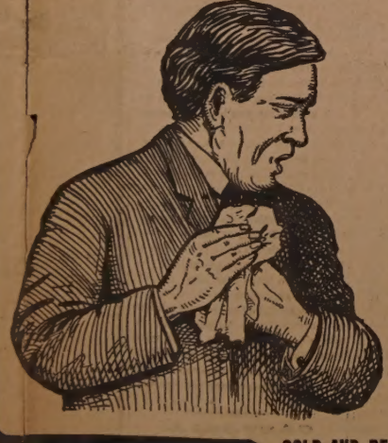

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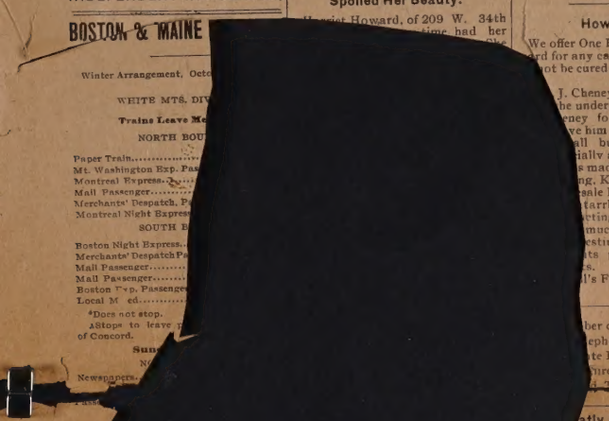

...000 to enlarge the state house in that city. The chances are that the shrieking will have to be continued for many years before a legislature foolish enough to raise money for such a purpose can be elected. If the House cannot hold the members of the legislature a few tents should be supplied, or some plan might be adopted whereby the dozen or more members who really determine what shall be done can do the work in the House and the votes on all questions can be telephoned in as directed from political headquarters, the members voting from their places of abode. This would do away with the free pass bug-a-boo which prevents William E. Chandler from sleeping nights, as a majority of the lusty four hundred would only find it necessary to visit Concord twice, once to be sworn in and the other to be sworn at and paid.

The richest men in America are not trying very hard to die poor. Carnegie's return to the tax assessor in New York city is only $5,000,000, while Vanderbilt acknowledges the corn to the extent of only $2,500,000.

William J. Bryan is of the opinion that banks are not safe. This is what a majority of the people of this country thought about William eight and four years ago, and they made no deposits with him.

John Burns, the Irish agitator, says Chicago is a pocket edition of hell. John may be able to verify his statement in the warm bye and bye.

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Bombardment.

Stubb—I read that the ancient suitors of Egypt used to inscribe their love letters on bricks.

Penn—Goodness, suppose the girl got angry and returned all the letters by throwing them!—Chicago News.

Strong.

Soubrette—Yes, the understudy says he used to have a very strong part on the stage.

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Undiscovered.

Fulton had just invented his steamboat.

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Completely baffled, he left that for the year 2000.—N. Y. Sun.

Not Quite Content.

"I understand that your son is becoming a fine Greek scholar."

"I believe so," answered the big and slightly gray citizen. "But Greek is no good to a man in a football game."—Washington Star.

The Only Kind She Had.

"They say she gave him the cold shoulder."

"How could she help it, with that kind of a waist on and the ballroom as frosty as an icehouse?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

MOULTONBORO.

Frank P. Wiggin, a Moultonboro boy, has been appointed general manager for an import and export concern in New York city in charge of their office in Bombay, India, where he has been located for the past year or more.

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Here is a ... recently received by President Roosevelt. It is credited to one who served with him as a "rough rider": "Dear Colonel, I am in a heap of trouble, and I wrote to see if you can help me out. Last week when I was shooting at my wife another lady stepped in range and I hit her. It was an accident. I wasn't shooting at her at all. I hope you will write to the judge and tell him to let me go.—Hartford Times.

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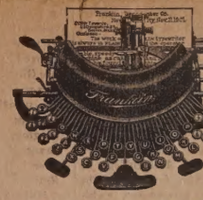

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MEREDITH.

Mrs. O. N. Roberts is quite sick.

O. N. Roberts is filling his ice house.

C. W. Cummings of Plymouth has sold his milk business and bought a farm in Meredith.

A few more of Leavitt's almanacs at Morrison's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blake intend to remove to Alexandria soon.

Mrs. Joseph Sworoski of Boston has been stopping at her summer home, "The Alves," for a few days.

Scallopped supper at the Baptist vestry next Wednesday evening. Admission, 15 cents. A social hour follows the supper. All are welcome.

Miss Lulu Miclon entertained a party of eighteen of her young friends at her home on Stevens avenue Saturday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Tetley recently received a very unique gift in the shape of a pillow cover on which were embroidered the names of nearly one hundred of their friends. The work was executed by Miss Lettie Berry.

Dr. B. W. Parshley has purchased four lots of land, near L. D. Moulton's new cottage on Meredith Neck, from C. N. Roberts.

Will the lady who, by mistake, took the wrong fur, at the Woman's club, last evening, kindly return same to the News office and recover her own.

Anyone having a farm containing about 150 acres, suitable for raising sheep and cattle, will learn of a purchaser by applying to the NEWS. tf

There came near being a serious fire at the passenger station last Thursday morning just as the down train was in. A traveling man carelessly threw a lighted cigar into the waste basket in the baggage room. The basket and contents were soon burned up, the baggage master's desk badly scorched, a file of letters consumed and the fire was running up the wall when it was fortunately discovered by the ticket agent, Chester A. Burnell, who immediately got control of the situation.

Children be kept indoors, wearing lumberman's clothing, a tipsy smile and carrying a jag built for two or more, was lifted from the Cannon Ball Monday evening by the train officials. He clutched a quart of "O, be joyful," embracing it tenderly as he wended his way along Main street in search of a bed. He found the bed near the corner of Stevens avenue, selecting the softest and warmest section of a snow drift for the purpose. Here he was found, with the thermometer below zero, by a young man who managed to get him to his feet. He was towed to a warm barn, where the chambermaid who prepares beds for the horses gave him a cot.

Y. M. AND B. I. L.

The first public entertainment by the Young Men's and Boys' Improvement League was held in the vestry of the South Church last Wednesday evening and every seat in the room was filled.

This organization has been in running order but a short time, yet seems to have been a successful venture from the first, when it was started under the name of The Boys' Improvement League. It owes its inception chiefly to the interest and efforts of Rev. E. B. Tetley, who is a great friend of the boys, and indeed, is one with them. He is evidently a believer in all healthful amusements for boys and young men, and to promote such sports as well as to influence the young men toward all right living, seems to be the prime object of the club.

Rev. G. A. Williams, pastor of the Baptist church, is also a member of the league and takes an active part in the meetings. The wish has been expressed that some one with sufficient interest and means would take measures to provide appropriate quarters for the meetings.

The program of Wednesday evening included the following:

Organ solo, D. E. Eaton.
Song, five boys.
Reading, Frank J. Belmore.
Farce, "Mr. Smith."
Duet, Mr. Tetley and Mr. Williams.

Music by club orchestra. Ferry F. Bilsworth, clarinet; Earle F. Wilson, violin; Merton Meserve, organ. A pleasant time was enjoyed after the program and the boys sold a quantity of home-made and other candies.

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MEREDITH

Harold Chase is in the jewelry store during Mr. Eastman's illness.

Miss Marion Leavitt has been home from Stoneham, Mass., for a few days.

Dr. Parshley is recovering from his recent accident and is now able to be out.

February 10 is the date appointed by the town clerk, J. S. Wadleigh for the drawing of jurors.

Fresh, clean, wholesome, solid meats are our P. R. oysters all the time. Morrison.

Hoyt and Smith are preparing to finish off the large front room in their cottage at New Point Comfort.

Look for the ad. of the Meredith Music Co. next week. You can buy of them Pianos, Organs and Sewing Machines at very low figures. The new Talk-er-Tones, just in, for $4 and up. Records, the newest and best to be had.

A very pleasant affair was that of the surprise party given by Lakeside Rebekah lodge to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. A. Reynolds, the occasion being their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. Though the visitation was wholly unexpected, yet the invaders were made heartily welcome and all enjoyed themselves greatly. Two handsome rugs and a set of silver fruit knives were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds, the knives being a gift from Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Jewell. A nice lunch was served.

We have sold hundreds of pounds of our popular coffees and teas in Meredith during the very brief time we have had them introduced and have another invoice in the present week. No dining table should be without these choice goods, including our spices and flavoring extracts, after they once use them. Sanborn's drug Store.

F. L. Harris, clerk at the Elm Hotel, is being chaffed in a good-natured way this week on account of an incident following an accident which was quite painful. While sorry for the accident, his acquaintances cannot help laughing over the humorous sequel. It appears that Mr Harris was sitting in a comfortable arm chair in the office of the hotel, last Friday evening, discussing farming in general and describing the size, color and gender of the abnormal pumpkins, cucumbers and other fruits he intends raising on his recently acquired farm when the good old summer time rolls along and he drops the hotel pen and grabs the plow and other farming playthings. He had just announced his intention of scooping all the premiums at the Concord Fair when a demand from a guest for a cigar recalled him to his hotel duties. Attempting to spring to his feet he forgot that he was posing as a farmer and as his understanding struck the legs of the chair it (the chair) flew up and he was thrown heavily against the radiator, cutting a gash in his head which required three stitches to stop the leak in his brain tank. Now this was very sad and witnesses of the painful accident wept with him. But they laughed next morning. Before retiring he was advised to lay a hot water bag close to his head on the pillow, being assured that it would ease the inflammation. He did so, but during the night the stopple became unscrewed and when he awoke his bed was wet with gore. Thinking that his head had sprung a leak and that he had lost quarts of blood he called for assistance, and it was some time before he discovered that the water from the bag, mixed with a little blood, was all there was to it. So he decided to live, and next summer, between trains, his lithe figure will probably be seen bent over potato bugs on the Laconia road, and not laid in the cold, cold grave, covered with flowers, as a result of last week's accident.

MEREDITH

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bixby of Lynn, Mass., recently.

Bargains in semi-porcelain crockery at Morrison's.

Read Sanborn's ad. It will do you good.

Postmaster E. H. Clough of Manchester is at the Clough cottage on Beaver Island for a short stay, in the hope of securing a trout or two.

If you like sweetened and high colored mixtures and let it pass as candy because it's cheap—it's up to you. But if quality and purity appeal to you it's to us—Morrison.

Some sneak thief has been operating lately in the vicinity of the large hen houses at Lakewood and also around Talbot's place near Squam Lake. Measures have been taken to prevent like occurrences in the future, as well as to apprehend the guilty party or parties.

The Royal Hungarian Concert Orchestra is to give a grand concert at Moulton Opera House, Laconia, Wednesday evening, Jan. 30. Arrangements are being made to stop the 12 o'clock train at Meredith for a party of fifteen. This is a great treat and all who enjoy music should attend. Tickets, 50c. Seats may be obtained of Edwin C. Mansfield.

Laconia Democrat, Herald, Post, Union, Record, Boston American, New York American, lates novels, magazines and all up to date reading matter at Morrison's.

Belknap County Pomona Grange.

The annual meeting of Belknap County Pomona grange with Winnipesaukee grange always brings out a good attendance and this year, the weather conditions being good, there was a large crowd at both the afternoon and evening sessions. A large number came on the noon trains and more on the later trains, while there were so many who drove in from a distance that the committee on teams had fifty horses to take care of.

The Town Hall was tastefully decorated with pine, hemlock and fir, also flags, flowers and fruits, this work being in charge of Mrs. Ellen Vickery and Mrs. Nancy Davis.

The afternoon session was open to the public and, as usual, many availed themselves of this opportunity to hear one of the programs prepared by the county lecturer, Mrs. Kate Gilman, who is now in her ninth year of service in this important position. Following is the program:

Singing, Meredith Patrons.
Invocation, Chaplain.
Greeting, W. M. Roy F. Bickford.
Response, Rev. John Thorpe, Garnet Hill grange.
Piano solo, Mrs. Herbert Foss.
Essay, "Taking Account of Stock," Mrs. Kate Gilman.
Vocal solo, Miss Bessie Weeks.
Remarks, State Lecturer Richard Pattee.
Vocal duet, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Foss.
Grange journal, Mrs. H. A. Jewett.
Discussion, "Which is Best for a Young Man Who is Dependent upon His Own Exertions for a Living, a Classical or an Agricultural College Education, and Why?" A. S. Clough, Rev. John Thorpe, D. W. Coe, Mrs. J. P. Cilley, F. H. Smith.
Remarks, Pomona Lecturer Mason of Groton, Mass.
Closing song.

After the program supper was served to over two hundred people under direction of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Bickford and Mrs. Addie Tuttle, with a corps of able assistants. The regular evening session of Winnipesaukee grange was held with both hall and balcony well filled and an unusually fine program was presented by the lecturer, Mrs. Florence Smith, every number receiving a hearty encore from the large and appreciative audience.

Song, Grange Choir.
Recitation, Evelyn Plummer.
Violin solo, Harold Chase.
Essay, Andrew Felker.
Quartette, Katherine Burnell, Mabel Estes, F. H. Smith, F. P. Smith.
Recitation, Milton Whitcher.
Song, Katherine Burnell.

There was a session of the Pomona grange late in the evening, when the fifth degree was conferred upon a large class, and the social promenade which followed lasted till the small hours of the morning.

It should be stated that Wicwas grange united with Winnipesaukee in the invitation to Belknap County Pomona.

MEREDITH

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The Colonial Vaudeville Co. played here last night to a pleased audience. Tonight Harold Chase and Mr. Barrington will furnish music for the dance, which is free, after the show.

A very pleasant, interesting, all-important and long-to-be-remembered episode occurred in the home life of Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Cummings of Holderness, Sunday afternoon, the 22nd, when their only daughter, Abbie I. and Frank E. Barker of Holderness united their hearts and interests for life in the marriage tie, surrounded by a few invited friends. Rev. J. Erskine performed the ceremony. Valuable gifts graced the occasion.

A well-known blacksmith had a rather good joke played on him the first of the week. It is his boast that he never goes fishing and returns home empty-handed. He only got one fish on the day in question, but it was a corker, or rather it was trout, weighing 4½ pounds. On the way home he thought it would be a good joke to make the subject of this item think he had two trout, so when they reached Chase brook he attached the trout to a hook and dropped it into the water, hollering to his companion that he had a bite. But when he pulled up it was discovered that the trout had become detached from the line and was sporting in the waters below. The blacksmith likes a little fun, but he made the remark, rather wrathfully, that this was Joe-king too much.

L. H. Tapman, manager of the Meredith Electric Light Co., was in town Saturday and, it is said, gave Himes V. Jones a contract for the new electric light station. Also for the new poles. Land for the site of the new building has been purchased from Mrs. Irene Evans, but this property is wanted by another party, and the new building may be erected on land belonging to the Blake Bros., situated near Clark's mill, or on the Nichols property, near the Meredith Shook & Lumber mills.

High School Notes.

(Items intended for this department may be left with Frank J. T. E. Belmore.)

Last Friday afternoon Mrs. Robinson and Miss Dorset visited the High school.

Mr. Osgood was not here to give the music lesson Friday.

Miss Bickford was absent from school Monday on account of illness.

The M. H. S. basketball team will play a game with the Plymouth High school team in the Town Hall, Meredith, Wednesday evening, February 1. The game will be interesting as each team has already won a game and this one will prove which is the better team.

Y. M. & B. I. L.

Last Wednesday evening the Young Men's and Boys' Improvement League gave a public entertainment. The program appears in another column.

Last Monday evening the League held its weekly meeting at the South Church vestry. The program was as follows: Selection "The Assembly," by the club orchestra; prayer, Rev. E. B. Tetley; discussion, "Resolved that it would be an improvement for Meredith to have its reading rooms open to the public every afternoon and evening;" affirmative, F. J. Belmore; negative, Ralph Woodman; the affirmative won. Debate, "Resolved that it would be a benefit to the people if the express business was controlled by the government;" affirmative, L. G. Pynn; negative, Arthur Philbrick. As Mr. Pynn was not present, the affirmative side was taken by other members and then followed an interesting debate, lasting about an hour. The affirmative side of the question won. The club paper by Ira Darling was exceedingly good.

The league now numbers about forty-five members, but it wants more. The dues are within reach of all. Any questions about the league will be cheerfully answered.

FOR THE FOURTH TIME

The Meredith Woman's Progress Club Observes Gentleman's Night.

A CHARMING SOCIAL AFFAIR

Succeeds a Day of Perplexity, Due to an Unexpected Change in the Program.

The fourth annual Gentlemen's Night of the Woman's Progress Club was observed last evening in K. P. hall. The program for these affairs is in charge of the executive board, consisting of the officers and directors, while the arrangements of the hall and the collation are in the hands of the social committee, consisting of Mrs. Ida Moulton, Mrs. Lilla Brown, Mrs. Minnie Bickford, Mrs. Fannie Brown, Mrs. [illegible] Rand. Anyone who was with the arrangements would indeed be [illegible].

There was a crush in the hall before eight o'clock, a large attendance of members, nearly every gentleman or other [illegible] of the evening. The hall was prettily decorated with [illegible] of the ante room, cloak room and [illegible] freshment room, where confections were served in the evening.

It had been expected that Merriman of Tilton would be present to give the Christian School at Center Harbor day morning a [illegible] ceived stating that he was ill and [illegible] present. And here the superiority to man [illegible] gency loomed up in the [illegible] ner. Man, commonly [illegible] man, born of woman [illegible] sourceful, would have rushed to a printer for posters announcing a postponement of the affair in hand. Not so with woman, lovely, tactical, quick-witted woman. Within a few minures after the receipt of the despatch from the seminary town telegraph and telephone wires were brought into play and kept hot until the gap had been filled. Perhaps even wireless telegraphy was used! There was something doing during the day, at any rate, but when the soothing strains of the orchestra died away a few minutes after eight o'clock, and the president of the club, Mrs. Hattie R. Erskine, with cool, unruffled countenance, announced the illness of Miss Merriman and introduced Miss Claribel Brooks of Boston, very few knew how quickly the executive committee acted under trying circumstances.

The audience soon forgot any disappointment they may have felt, for all were captivated by the clever and versatile Miss Brooks, whose rendition of the different selections was so true to nature that there was evidence of "hit birds fluttering" all over the hall. Indeed, her realistic rendering of the scene in the dentist's office had such an effect on Dr. Parshley that there is talk of a suit for injury to his business. Every number was heartily enjoyed by all present.

The last reading was the fine poem, "The Message, and was given with a musical accompaniment that made it very effective. Miss Brooks has a natural, easy manner, and her gestures and facial expression, no less than her voice, are always strongly descriptive of the subject in hand.

Excellent music was furnished by Miss Eva Pike, pianist, and Mr. Webster, violinist, both of Lakeport, and the several numbers were highly appreciated by the audience.

Refreshments were served to all, the social committee being aided in the work of serving by Misses Lottie Choate, Lillian Lance, Elizabeth Hall, Alma Melvin, Mrs. Eaton, Mrs. Gilman and others.

Miss Brooks was the guest of Mrs. Allie Prescott, one of the club directors.

MEREDITH NECK

P. H. Downs and party of Brookline, Mass., are at their camp for a few days.

No services at the church Sunday on account of the storm.

John Downs of Quincy, Mass., is here for a short time.

The club house on Three Mile Island will be opened for Appallachian Mountain club visitors January 28th.

W. O. Webster and party are at their camp on the Neck.

Mrs. Lizzie Thompson has been on the sick list for some time past.

A Bird in the Hand.

"May I kiss you before I go?"
"W-e-l-l—"
"Well?" eagerly.
"Just one thing constrains me to say yes."
"And what is that?"
"The fact that you cannot very well kiss me after you go."—Houston Post.

Dangers of a Surplus.

Argus was complaining of his one hundred eyes.

"When I go to the circus," he explained, "I can keep 33 on each ring, but I can't make up my mind which one to look at with the odd eye."

This teaches us that enough is as good as a feast.—N. Y. Sun.

More Than He Bargained For.

"Ah," sighed the sentimental young man, "would that I might induce you to fly with me!"

"Well, I'll go you," [illegible]

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Moultonboro Happenings.

Mrs. Geo. Robinson has not been well for the last few days.

Geo. Freese has returned from a visit to Gilford.

The officers of Moultonboro grange will be installed Friday evening, Jan. 27, by Geo. Copp of Melvin. Tuftonboro grange has been invited to attend.

A. J. Goodwin has been spending a week in Manchester and Massachusetts.

The friends of Mrs. Jonas Berry will be glad to learn she is gaining. She is still at the hospital.

Twelve men turned out last Thursday and cut and hauled wood for the church. The ladies furnished the dinner.

Hamlin Huntress of Laconia made a short visit in town last week.

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